

PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2625**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Ronald D. HOUSE et al.

Group Art Unit: 2625

Application No.: 10/630,863

Examiner: N. MCLEAN

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For: MULTI-FUNCTION IMAGE FORMING DEVICE WITH BUILT-IN READ/WRITE
CD UNIT

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the June 18, 2008 Office Action, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Claims 5, 6, 8-10, 12 and 15 are pending in this application. The Office Action, in paragraph 4, rejects claims 5, 6, 8-10, 12 and 15 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0105665 to Wasilewski et al. (hereinafter "Wasilewski") in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,988,431 to Roe (hereinafter "Roe"). These rejections are respectfully traversed.

Claim 1 recites, in part, a method of purchasing a portable digital storage media from a digital image forming device, comprising: purchase determining whether to purchase blank media, the purchase determining comprising selecting a portable digital storage media type;